

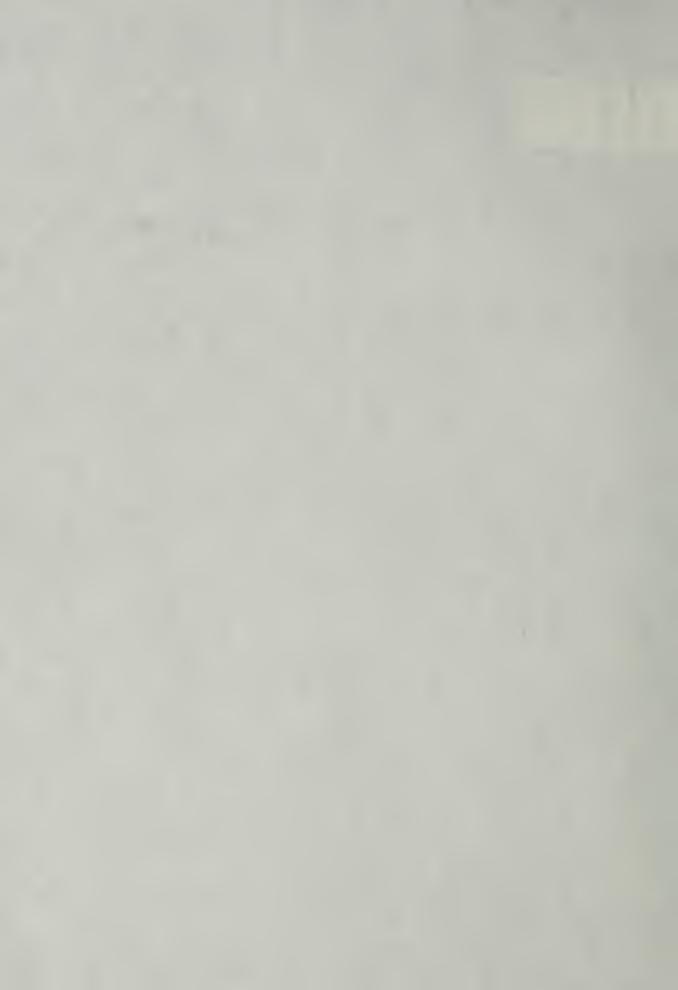


Affiliate Directory

Massachusetts State Data Center Program



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MASSACHUSETTS STATE DATA CENTER PROGRAM

AFFILIATE DIRECTORY

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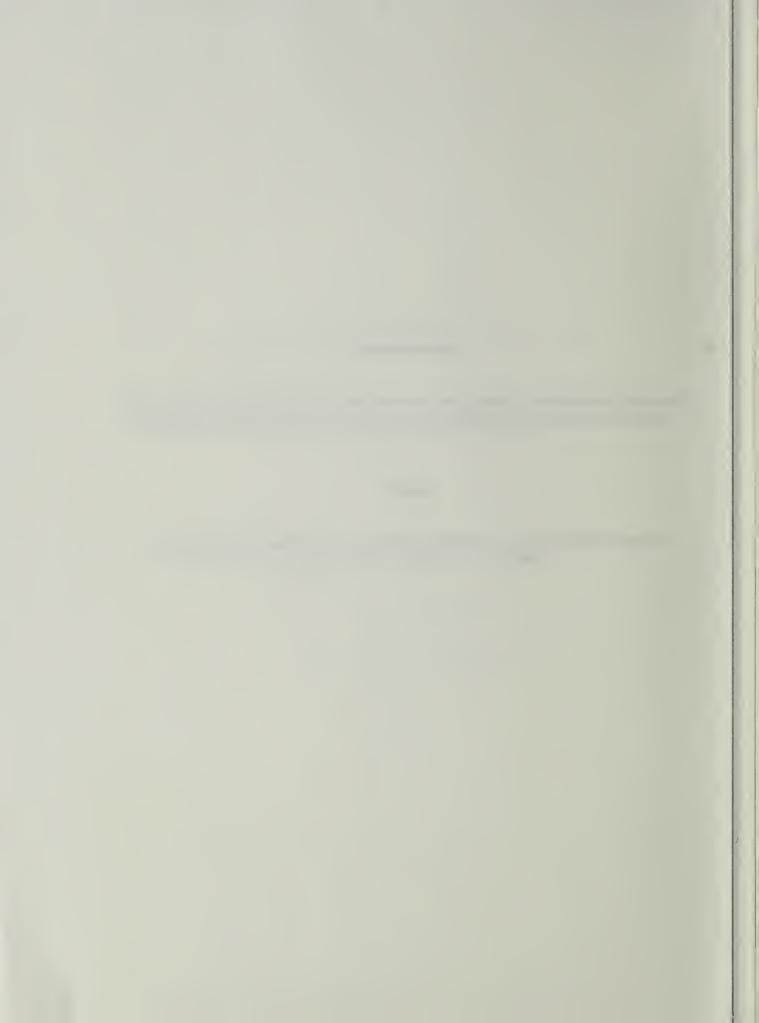


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State Data Center Program

The State Data Center Program was established in 1978 by the U.S. Census Bureau to make statistical information and technical services more readily available to the public. The program now includes all states in the U.S., the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, Guam, and the Virgin Islands. The Census Bureau provides data products, training, technical assistance, and consultation to data centers and their affiliate agencies, which then offer products and assistance to local data users such as community leaders, planners, businesses, researchers, and the general public.

Massachusetts State Data Center Program (MSDCP)

The Massachusetts State Data Center Program (MSDCP) is comprised of a lead agency and 49 affiliate agencies throughout the state. These agencies have an extensive collection of census data on population, housing, education, business, manufacturing, trade, services, government, and agriculture in Massachusetts, New England, and the U.S. This includes both printed and computerized data from:

Censuses of Population and Housing Current Population Surveys County Business Patterns Economic Censuses Census of Governments Census of Agriculture

The MSDCP network provides data and technical assistance for over 100,000 requests each year. In addition to census data, these agencies have many other resources which are summarized in this directory.

Massachusetts State Data Center Program Lead Agency

The Massachusetts Institute for Social and Economic Research (MISER) is the lead agency for the State Data Center Program in Massachusetts. The lead agency is responsible for coordinating Data Center Program activities throughout the state. The MISER State Data Center is also the lead agency for the Census Bureau's Business and Industry Data Center (BIDC) Program, which provides more extensive economic information on manufacturing, construction, retail and wholesale trade, finance, exports, transportation, and communications.

Founded in 1981, MISER is an interdisciplinary research institute of the College of Social and Behavioral Sciences at the University of Massachusetts in Amherst. MISER is actively involved in research pertaining to social and economic issues, and has in its holdings a wide range of data from federal and state agencies, including the U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, and the Massachusetts Department of Employment and Training. MISER is internationally known for its research on foreign trade data, and is the only non-Federal contributor to the National Trade Data Bank (NTDB). In addition, MISER distributes population estimates and projections for the state, its counties, cities and towns as part of the Federal and State Cooperative Programs for Population Estimates (FSCPE) and Projections (FSCPP).

MISER STATE DATA CENTER

University of MA/Amherst

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Assistant Director

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SDC & BDIC Lead Agency, ICPS, FSCPE, FSCPP Type of Agency:

Service Area: Massachusetts

Services Offered:

Standard & custom reports: Fee Fee Data analysis: Data for affirmative action reporting: Fee Business & economic information: Fee Population estimates & projections: Fee

Information Resources:

U.S. Dept. of Commerce, Bureau of the Census Data & Publications

U.S. Dept. of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics

U.S. Dept. of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis

MA Dept. of Employment & Training

MA Dept. of Revenue

MA Dept. of Education

Foreign Trade Data

Construction Statistics

Equal Employment Opportunity Reports

Journey-to-Work Data

MISER Regional Education Database (BigRED)

MISER Policy Database

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: IBM compatible

Operating systems: DOS 6.20, Windows 3:11

Word processors: WordPerfect 5.1 for DOS, MS Word 6.0 for

Windows

Excel 5.0 for Windows, QuattroPro 1.0 for DOS & Spreadsheets:

Windows, Lotus for DOS

Paradox, Foxpro Database systems:

GIS packages: MapInfo CD-ROM: Yes

Other: Pagemaker 4.0 for windows

Special Services:

Quarterly newsletter

The Massachusetts State Data Center Affiliate Program

The State Data Center Affiliate Program is an extension activity of the Massachusetts State Data Center. Through this program, the Data Center can expand its efforts to help the public access and use demographic and economic information from the Census Bureau. Affiliates are an important link between the State Data Center Program and the majority of individual data users.

The Massachusetts State Data Center Program currently has 49 affiliates throughout the state. These include regional planning agencies, libraries, state agencies, and business and economic development agencies. Affiliates provide data and services to their local communities making information more accessible to everyone.

There are two components of the Massachusetts State Data Center Affiliate Program. The State Data Center (SDC) affiliate and the Business-Industry Data Center (BIDC) affiliate. SDC affiliates are the backbone of our program providing assistance to their communities in locating and using census data. They offer a publicly accessible library of demographic and economic data, as well as providing referral services and products of their own. The BIDC program was designed to meet the growing need by public and private sector decision-makers for more extensive economic information. BIDC affiliates have the additional responsibility of identifying and developing new data uses and methods of assistance to their communities, especially to the business community and agencies that engage in economic development activities.

Affiliate Program Objectives

The purpose of the Massachusetts State Data Center Affiliate Program is to expand access and use of population and economic data by state and local governments, businesses, academic communities and other interested users. The Massachusetts State Data Center Affiliate Program is designed with these objectives:

- 1) Expand the amount or types of statistical data that are available within the state.
- 2) Increase the flow of decision-making information to the business community and to the institutions of government and academia that engage in research, administration, planning and policy development activities.
- 3) Develop a coherent network of providers of population and economic data, training and technical assistance to private and public sector decision makers.

Massachusetts State Data Center Program Affiliate Activities

Every MSDCP Affiliate is expected to carry out basic activities related to providing data and information services. These include at a minimum:

- Maintaining as a public library the basic affiliate collection of Census Bureau and State Data Center data products and reference materials.
- 2) Handling inquiries regarding economic and demographic statistics.
- 3) Informing present or potential data users (and other Affiliates) of available data, services and research activities.
- 4) Becoming aware of the data resources of the MSDCP and other MSDCP Affiliates.
- 5) Providing the MSDCP listings of publications or products produced by your office which utilize Census data.
- 6) Referring potential users to other data sources when appropriate.
- 7) Attending at least one MSDCP Affiliate statewide meeting every two years.
- 8) Furnishing annual reports (form provided by the MSDCP), including:

Number of inquiries handled.

Types of users served by broad categories.

Examples of practical applications of data.

Unmet data needs and specific problems with individual data products.

MSDCP Affiliate Publication Collection

U.S. Bureau of the Census Products

The following is a list of publications which will be supplied to MSDCP affiliate agencies by the U.S. Burcau of the Census. The publications listed will be supplied in printed report format.

Some Census Bureau products are not available in print format. These include the Summary Tape File products (STF1, STF3, STF4). These products can be obtained from the Massachusetts State Data Center lead agency.

(Unless otherwise noted, publications provided to MSDCP affiliates are only those containing data for the state of Massachusetts.)

Decennial Census Reports

- A. Summary Population and Housing Characteristics (CPH-1)
- B. Population and Housing Unit Counts (CPH-2)
- C. Population and Housing Characteristics for Census Tracts and Block Numbering Areas (CPH-3)
- D. Population and Housing Characteristics for Congressional Districts of the 103rd Congress (CPH-4)
- E. Summary Social, Economic, and Housing Characteristics (CPH-5)
- F. General Population Characteristics (CP-1)
- G. Social and Economic Characteristics (CP-2)
- H. General Housing Characteristics (CH-1)
- I. Detailed Housing Characteristics (CH-2)

Census of Agriculture Geographic Area Series Reports

Economic Censuses

- A. Census of Retail Trade Geographic Area Series Reports
- B. Census of Service Industries
 Geographic Area Series Reports

- C. Census of Wholesale Trade Geographic Area Series Reports
- D. Census of Manufactures Geographic Area Series Reports
- E. Census of Transportation, Communication, and Utilities Geographic Area Series Reports
- F. Census of Mineral Industries Geographic Area Series Reports
- G. Census of Construction Industries Geographic Area Series Reports

Annual Current Economic Reports
County Business Patterns

Statistical Compendia

Statistical Abstract County and City Data Book State and Metropolitan Area Data Book

Reference Publications

Bureau of the Census Catalog and Guide Census and You subscription Monthly Product Announcement subscription Factfinder of the Nation brochures (updates) Telephone Contacts List

MSDCP Affiliate CD-ROM Collection

CD-ROM disks (Massachusetts) will be provided to all SDC/BIDC Affiliates that have CD-ROM readers. The following files are included:

Public Law (PL 94-171) Redistricting Data
Summary Tape File 1 (STF1) A, B (extract), C
Summary Tape File 3 (STF3) A, B, C
Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO) File
TIGER/Line Files
County Business Patterns
STF1 D/3D (by request)
Economic Census
Agriculture Census
USA Counties
Statistical Abstract
Public Use Microdata Samples (PUMS) (by request)
Current Population Survey (CPS) (by request)

Directory of MSDCP Affiliates

Term: January 1, 1995 - December 31, 1996



BABSON COLLEGE - HORN LIBRARY

Babson College Contact Person: Frances Stith Nilsson

Babson Park, MA 02157-0310 Manager, Collection

Development & Instructional Services

Phone: (617) 239-5486 Email: nilsson@babson.edu

FAX: (617) 239-5226

Type of Affiliate: BIDC

Service Area: Babson College Academic Community

Services Offered:

Reference: Free

Information Resources:

Basic Census publications National Trade Data Bank

Corporate information sources such as:

Annual reports and 10-K's of SEC-filing companies

Investext brokerage house reports

Compact/D SEC

ABI/Inform with Business Periodicals Ondisc

Massachusetts Municipal Profiles

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: PC, VAX

Operating systems: DOS /Windows, VMS
Communications: 4 stations with modems
Word processors: MS Word for windows

Spreadsheets: Excel

Database systems: Microsoft Access
Graphics software: Microsoft Power Point

CD-ROM: Yes

Internet/BBS services: Gopher @ babson.edu; Web page planned for Fall 1995

BERKSHIRE COMMUNITY COLLEGE LIBRARY

1350 West St. Contact Person: MaryJane Fromm
Pittsfield, MA 01201 Assistant Librarian

Phone: (413) 499-4660 **FAX:** (413) 448-2700

Type of Affiliate: SDC

Service Area: Berkshire County

Services Offered:

Respond to all data requests: Free

Provide public access to affiliate MSBCP and Bureau of

Census materials: Free

Assist data users in finding information: Free

Provide computer capabilities for use of CD-ROM products: Free Publicize collection in campus/local publications and E-mail: Free

Photocopying: Fee

Information Resources:

General Census publications & data

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: IBM compatible

Word processors: Available CD-ROM: Yes

Internet/BBS services: Available

BERKSHIRE COUNTY REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION

10 Fenn St. Contact Person: Paul Boudreau
Pittsfield, MA 01201 Land Use Planner

Phone: (413) 442-1521 FAX: (413) 442-1523

Type of Affiliate: BIDC

Service Area: Berkshire County

Services Offered:

Data Requests: Free

Information Resources:

General Census Data Econometric Model Miscellaneous

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: IBM

Word processors:

Spreadsheets:

Database systems:

GIS packages:

CD-ROM:

WordPerfect
SuperCalc
Paradox
MapInfo
Yes

BOSTON COLLEGE - O'NEILL LIBRARY/GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS

Boston College

Chestnut Hill, MA 02167

Contact Person:

Barbara Mento

Acting Head - Government

Documents/Microforms

Phone: (617) 552-3354

FAX: (617) 552-8828

Email: mento@hermes.bc.edu

Type of Affiliate:

SDC

Service Area:

Boston College

Services Offered:

Reference Service

Information Resources:

Historical census reports & publications

Profiles for Boston neighborhoods done by the Boston Redevelopment Authority

Equal Employment Opportunity File (EEO) 1990

Computer Environment:

Type of computers:

IBM

Operating systems:

DOS

CD-ROM:

Yes

Special Services:

GPO on Silverplatter

BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY - GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS

666 Boylston St. Contact Person: Gail Fithian

Boston, MA 02117 Reference Librarian

Phone: (617) 536-5400 ext. 226 Email: gfithian@bpl.org

FAX: (617) 536-7758

Type of Affiliate: SDC

Service Area: Boston Community

Services Offered:

Answer reference questions: Free
Provide access to government produced information: Free
Assist in use of materials in our collection: Free

Direct patrons to sources of information not

available in our collections:

Information Resources:

All material received through the Federal Depository Library program

All material received through the State Depository program

All material filmed in ASI, IIS & SRI

Maintain on-line index to state and local documents

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: PC

Communications: ProComm Plus & DIALOGLINK (staff use only)

Word processors: For staff only

Spreadsheets:

Database systems:
Graphics software:

GIS packages: MapInfo, ArcView 2

CD-ROM: Yes

Internet/BBS services: For staff use only except for GPO Accdss, LOCIS

and some local BBS

Other: Electronic mapping - MapExpert, Map'n'Go,

GlobalExpert, (all DeLorme) and Klymas' Streets on a Disk; TIGERLine, LANDVIEW software

Special Services:

Internet access to many BPL databases, including government documents materials using telnet or gopher to bpl.org or http://www.bpl.org

Basic GIS services for the public and GIS consultant available 1 morning a week

BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY - POLICY DEVELOPMENT & RESEARCH DEPARTMENT

One City Hall Square Contact Person: Gregory Perkins
Boston, MA 02201-1007 Deputy Director

Phone: (617) 722-4300 ext. 4411

FAX: (617) 367-5916

Type of Affiliate: SDC

Service Area: Boston Metropolitan Area

Services Offered:

Research reports: Fee Telephone inquiries: Free Access to reference books: Free **BRA Planning Reports:** Fee Maps (large & 8 1/2 x 11): Fee Special work (maps, printouts, etc.): Fee Insight Reports: Free Population & Employment Projections: Fee

Information Resources:

Census data & reference books/CD's

Bureau of Economic Analysis (BEA) Regional Economic Information Service (REIS) - we are a regional repository

BRA publications

BRA-PDR publications

ZIP Code Data Bank of Businesses (County Business Patterns)
Assessing Departmental Land Use information (parcel based)

Office market data (Realtor reports)

Retail market data Hotel market data

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: IBM

Operating systems: MS DOS 6.2 & Windows 3.1 (Novell Network)

Word processors: Word 6 for Windows, WordPerfect 5.1

Spreadsheets: Lotus 1-2-3, Quattro Pro, Excel for Windows
Database systems: DBase 4, Paradox for Windows, Informix
GIS packages: MapInfo (city also has ArcInfo & Intergraph)

CD-ROM: Yes

Other: Desktop publishing - Ventura

Special Services:

Monthly newsletter

BRANDEIS UNIVERSITY - LIBRARY

Documents Collection Contact Person: Ralph Szymczak

Brandeis University Library Head Reference

Waltham, MA 02254-9110 Librarian, Documents

Phone: (617) 736-4673 Email: szymczak@binah.cc.brandeis.edu

FAX: (617) 736-4675

Type of Affiliate: SDC

Service Area: Brandeis/Waltham community

Services Offered:

In-person reference service:

Phone reference: Free

Access to documents collection including all census reports/data: Free

Access to 2 computerized versions of GPO's (Govt. Printing Office)

Monthly Catalog: Free

Access to CIS Index: Free Access to NTDB, NESE, U.S. Exports/Imports, etc. on CD-ROM

with attached printers:

Information Resources:

Government Documents Brochure w/ reference to Census

Key Statistics Courses including many Census Bureau publications

STF Quick Guide

NTDB Guide

NESE Guide

U.S. Exports/Imports Guide

ASI Guide

Other Government Documents Guides

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: IBM, MacIntosh Communications: Modem set-ups

Word processors: For staff and Brandeis community only

Database systems: Dialog, First Search, LEXIS/NEXIS (Brandeis only)

CD-ROM: Yes

Internet/BBS services: Internet, GOPHER, World Wide Web, (mostly

Brandeis community at this time)

BRIDGEWATER STATE COLLEGE - CLEMENT C. MAXWELL LIBRARY

Bridgewater State College

Contact Person:

Cynthia J.W. Svoboda

Bridgewater, MA 02325

Associate Librarian

Phone: (508) 697-1740

Email: csvoboda@bridgew.edu

FAX: (508) 279-6103

Type of Affiliate:

SDC

Service Area:

Local Community

Services Offered:

Provide data service to the public:

Free

Information Resources:

Census data for MA & New England (paper, CD-ROM)

Government Printing Office (GPO) directory of publications (CD-ROM)

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: IBM

Operating systems: DOS, Apple System 7

Communications: Kermit

Word processors: WordPerfect for Windows

Spreadsheets: Quattro Pro

Database systems: Knight-Ridder (Dialog), First Search

Graphics software: Harvard Graphics

CD-ROM: Yes Internet/BBS services: Yes

CAPE COD COMMISSION

3225 Main St. Contact Person: Marilyn Fifield

Barnstable, MA 02630 Research Analyst

Phone: (508) 362-3828 Email: 76701.13@compuserve.com

FAX: (508) 362-3136

Type of Affiliate: BIDC

Service Area: Barnstable County

Services Offered:

Research, analysis & provision of demographic & economic

information for Barnstable county:

Fee

Information Resources:

Current & historical demographic & economic information for Barnstable County issues by State, Federal & municipal agencies, generally dating from the 1960's.

Cape Trends publication of current demographic & economic data for Barnstable County

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: MacIntosh, IBM, PC
Operating systems: MacIntosh, DOS, UNIX

Communications: CrossTalk, Asanti Person-to-Person

Word processors: Word for MacIntosh, WordPerfect for DOS &

MacIntosh

Spreadsheets: Excel for MacIntosh & DOS, Lotus 1-2-3 for

DOS, Symphony for DOS

Database systems: DBase 3 for DOS, Info for UNIX, Filemaker for

MacIntosh

Graphics software: Adobe Illustrator for MacIntosh, Photoshop for

MacIntosh

GIS packages: ArcInfo, for P.C. & UNIX

CD-ROM: Ye

Internet/BBS services: Access to CompuServ from MacIntosh, P.C.

modems

Other: Pagemaker for MacIntosh

Special Services:

Bi-weekly newsletter

CAPE COD COMMUNITY COLLEGE LIBRARY

2240 Route 132 Contact Person: Jeanmarie Fraser

West Barnstable, MA 02668-1599 Head, Technical

Services

Phone: (508) 362-2131 ext. 4343 Email: jfraser@mecn.mass.edu

FAX: (508) 375-4020

Type of Affiliate: SDC

Service Area: Cape Cod and islands, Plymouth County

Services Offered:

CD-ROM: Census 1990: Free

U.S. Code Annotated: Free FED/MASS Tax Reporter: Free

Other CD-ROM Bibliographic databases

Provide access to:

Circulating collection Periodical collection Career information

Vertical file

Large collection of Cape Cod historical and current materials (Open to the public, non-circulating)

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: Gateway (IBM compatible)

Operating systems:
Communications:
Word processors:
Spreadsheets:
DOS Windows
2400+ modem
Microsoft Word
Lotus 1-2-3

Database systems: Filemaker for MacIntosh

CD-ROM: Yes

Internet/BBS services: JFRASER@MECN.MASS.EDU

CENTRAL MASSACHUSETTTS REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION

20 Washington Square Suite 300 Worcester, MA 01604-4013

Contact Person:

William Grant Principal Planner

Phone: (508) 756-7717 **FAX:** (508) 792-6818

Type of Affiliate:

BIDC

Service Area:

Central/Southern Worcester County (40 Municipalities)

Services Offered:

Selected reports: Fee
Specialized reports: Fee
Photocopying: Fee
Faxing: Free
Telephone: Free

Information Resources:

Federal Census (Population, Housing, Economic)

State Data Center (MISER)

MA Dept. of Employment & Training

Other State agencies Local cities and towns Chambers of Commerce

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: PC

Operating systems: DOS for Windows 3.1 Communications: Modem (2400 BAUD)

Word processors: Winword
Spreadsheets: Excel
Database systems: DBase III

Graphics software: AutoCAD Lite (Separate System)
GIS packages: PC ARCInfo (Separate System)

CD-ROM: Yes

Internet/BBS services: LocalNet

Special Services:

Bi-monthly newsletter

CITIZEN INFORMATION SERVICE

One Ashburton Place, Room 1611 Contact Person: Kirsten Bell

Boston, MA 02108 Information Specialist

Phone: (617) 727-7030 **FAX:** (617) 742-4528

Type of Affiliate: SDC

Service Area: Massachusetts

Services Offered:

Basic CPH data for MA counties, cities & towns:

More detailed CPH data for up to 3 regions (STF3a CD-ROM): Free MA unemployment rates (monthly, annually): Free

Consumer Price Index monthly figures & annual averages

(U.S., Northeast & Boston area):

Information Resources:

Census publications

MA Dept. of Employment & Training

Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Dept. of Labor

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: IBM compatible, MacIntosh

Operating systems: DOS 6.20, Windows 3.11, MacIntosh System 7

Word processors: WordPerfect 5.1 for DOS, WordPerfect 6.0 for

Windows, MS Word 5.0 for MacIntosh

Database systems: Filemaker for MacIntosh

CD-ROM: Yes

Other: Pagemaker 5.0 for MacIntosh

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH - BUREAU OF HEALTH STATISTICS

150 Tremont St, 8th floor Boston, MA 02111 **Contact Person:**

Christine Payne Demographer

Phone: (617) 727-2735 FAX: (617) 727-6584

Type of Affiliate:

SDC

Service Area:

Massachusetts

Services Offered:

Provide referrals to hospitals and public health agencies

Information Resources:

Advance Data: Births 1986 - 1992 Advance Data: Deaths 1987 - 1992

Annual Report of Vital Statistics in Massachusetts 1986 - 1991

Asbestos-Related Lung Disease in Massachusetts Workers 1982 - 1987

Behavioral Risk Factors & Preventative Health Measures: Massachusetts Behavioral Risk Factor

Surveys, 1986 - 1990

Cancer Incidence by Occupation & Industry in Massachusetts, 1982 - 1983

Cancer Incidence in Massachusetts 1982 - 1986

Chartbook Series on Massachusetts Elders Volumes 1 - 4

Childhood Cancer in Massachusetts 1982 - 1986

Dying for the Job: Traumatic Occupational Deaths in Massachusetts

Health Care Utilization & Charges for AIDS and HIV Disease, Massachusetts: 1988 - 1991

Health Status Indicators for Community Health Network Areas:

Data Packets for Community Planning (by region)

Hospital Bed & Discharge Data Book 1986 & 1987

Injuries in Massachusetts: An Overview of Causes & Costs

Lead At Work: Elevated Blood Lead Levels in Massachusetts Workers, April - October 1991

Nursing & Rest Home Data Book, 1978 - 1985

1982 - 1985 Special Report: Cancer Incidence in Massachusetts

Computer Environment:

(For Staff Only)

Type of computers:

PC

Operating systems:

DOS & Windows

Word processors:

MS Word 6.0 for Windows

Spreadsheets:

Excel

CD-ROM:

Yes

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND INDUSTRIAL CORPORATION OF BOSTON (EDIC)

43 Hawkins St Boston, MA 02114 **Contact Person:**

Jocelina O. Benzmiller

Research Manager

Phone: (617) 635-4700 ext. 181

FAX: (617) 635-4286

Type of Affiliate:

BIDC

Service Area:

Boston

Services Offered:

Economic & demographic data:

Industrial Sites Inventory:

Business & financial assistance sources:

Leading Companies in Boston - Information:

Free
Select Industries Studies:

Free

Information Resources:

EDIC Publications

Boston in Brief, 1994 Sitefinder, Fall 1994 Boston Works for Business Top 20 Employers in Boston, 1994 Who Benefits From Biomed, 1990 Boston's Manufacturing Industries, 1993 Boston's Working Waterfront, 1993

Environmental Jobs for the Future, 1992
The Impact of Higher Education on Boston, 1993

The Missing Ring, 1992 Growth in the Nineties, 1990 Boston Economist (monthly)

Computer Environment:

Spreadsheets: Lotus 1-2-3
Database systems: DBase IV
Graphics software: Harvard

Special Services:

Monthly newsletter

Other Resources

General Census Bureau Publications

Bureau of Labor Statistics

Boston Redevelopment Authority

The Conference Board

Massachusetts Convention & Visitors Bureau Massachusetts Dept of Employment & Training

EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF COMMUNITIES & DEVELOPMENT

100 Cambridge St., Rm 1704 Contact Person: Fred Habib

Boston, MA 02202 Research Coordinator

Phone: (617) 727-7147 ext. 407

FAX: (617) 727-0082

Type of Affiliate: BIDC

Service Area: Massachusetts

Services Offered:

Provide information: Free Community profiles: Fee

Community/Economic Development: Housing - General, Homeownership, Rental Construction/Rehab/Operation,

Rental Assistance, Special Needs

Technical Assistance & Training Local Government Assistance

Social Service & Anti-Poverty Programs

Information Resources:

STF1A & C, STF3A & C (CD-ROM) General Accounting Office Selected

EEO (CD-ROM) Reports

PUMS 5% sample (CD-ROM) MA Rental Survey 1991

Historical census publications
CPI Monthly U.S. & Boston PMSA
1990 CPH publications
New England Economic Indicators
Current Population Survey (CD-ROM, reports)
New England Economic Review

Current Construction Reports

Community Profiles

American Housing Survey

Community Profiles

Employment Statistics

Annual Housing Survey CHAS (Comp. Housing Affordability Strategy)

HUD data (CD-ROM, reports)

Subsidized Housing Inventory (7/1/93)

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: PC

Operating systems: DOS 6.2, WFW 3.11

Communications: ProComm

Word processors: MS Word for Windows 6.0

Spreadsheets: Excel 5.0

Database systems: FoxPro for Windows 2.6
Graphics software: Designer, Pagemaker
GIS packages: MapInfo for Windows

CD-ROM: Yes Internet/BBS services: Yes

Other: Sequel Server, Lotus Notes

Special Services:

Program book

FRANKLIN COUNTY COMMISSION

278 Main St Contact Person: Jessica Atwood

Greenfield, MA 01301

Phone: (413) 774-1194 **FAX:** (617) 774-3169

Type of Affiliate: BIDC

Service Area: Franklin County

Services Offered:

Photcopying: Fee
Reports (ie., socioeconomic profiles): Fee
Statistical analysis: Free
Special area sub-totals: Free
Customized reports: Fee

<u>Information Resources</u>: (Maps & Reports)

Agricultural Land Infrastructure

Base Map

Community Water Supplies

Known Protected Open Space
Land Trust and APR Lands

Developed Land Use Map

Habitats Rural Historic Landscapes

Industrial & Commercial Zoning Map Wetlands

MISER reports Census CD's

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: IBM

Operating systems: DOS & Windows
Communications: FAX/MODEM software
Word Processors: Word, WordPerfect 5.1

Spreadsheets: Excel, Lotus
Database systems: DBase, Ace File

Graphics software: Powerpoint

GIS packages: ArcInfo, ArcView, LandView

CD-ROM: Yes

Other: QRS - Traffic Demand Forecasting

Special Services:

GIS mapping

Quarterly newsletter

GREATER SPRINGFIELD CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Bank of Boston Building

Contact Person:

Marc Hanks

1350 Main St

Springfield, MA 01103

Managing Partner

Phone: (413) 787-1555 FAX: (413) 731-8530

Type of Affiliate:

BIDC

Service Area:

Greater Springfield

Services Offered:

Business Development Services: Free
Market Research: Free
Corporate Location Services: Free

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: IBM, MacIntosh Operating systems: LAN - I.B.M.

Word processors: Yes
Spreadsheets: Yes
Database systems: Yes
Graphics software: Yes
Internet/BBS services: Yes

Special Services:

Monthly newsletter

GREENFIELD COMMUNITY COLLEGE - LIBRARY

One College Drive Greenfield, MA 01301 **Contact Person:**

Norma Spicher-Hillier

Reference Librarian

Phone: (413) 774-3131 ext. 280 or 284

Email: carol letson@gcc.mass.edu

Type of Affiliate:

SDC

Service Area:

Academic Community

Services Offered:

Microfiche copying: Fee
Paper reports: Fee
CD-ROM copies: Fee
Reference: Free

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: PC

Operating systems: DOS, Windows

CD-ROM: Yes

HARVARD COLLEGE - LAMONT LIBRARY/GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS

Harvard University Contact Person: Diane Garner

Cambridge, MA 02138 Head of Government

Documents & Non-Book Formats

Phone: (617) 495-2479 Email: dxg.harvarda

FAX: (617) 496-0440

Type of Affiliate: SDC

Service Area: Boston area

Services Offered:

Provide patrons with data requested on a walk-in basis

Information Resources:

Government Documents & Microforms Section is a Government Depository library - collection is open to the public

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: PC, MacIntosh

Operating systems: DOS 6.0, MacIntosh System 7

Word processors: MS Word for MacIntosh, WordPerfect for DOS

Spreadsheets: Excel for MacIntosh

Database systems: Paradox CD-ROM: Yes

Internet/BBS services: Gopher, Lynx, Telnet, FTP

Other: GO and EXTRACT

MARTHA'S VINEYARD COMMISSION

Box 1447

Contact Person:

Heather B. Harper

Oak Bluffs, MA 02557

Regional Planner

Phone: (508) 693-3453 **FAX:** (508) 693-7894

Type of Affiliate:

BIDC

Service Area:

Dukes County

Services Offered:

Technical assistance:

Free or Fee

Information Resources:

Census data provided by MISER Department of Employment & Training Bureau of Economic Analysis Housing - RTC

Computer Environment:

Type of computers:

IBM compatible

Operating systems:

DOS

Word processors:

Microsoft Works, WordPerfect 5.1

Spreadsheets:

Lotus

Special Services:

Annual newsletter

MASSACHUSETTS BOARD OF LIBRARY COMMISSIONERS

648 Beacon St. Contact Person: Brian Donoghue

Boston, MA 02215 Librarian

Phone: (617) 267-9400 Email: blc@noble.mass.edu

FAX: (617) 421-9833

Type of Affiliate: SDC

Service Area: MA public library community, agency staff

Services Offered:

Reference services re: MA population trends:

Provide statistical information to support MA library services planning:

State Data Center statistical publications information:

Free Agency reports on library services:

Administer Agency grant programs:

Free

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: IBM compatible

Operating systems: DOS

Communications: Procomm Plus
Word processors: WordPerfect 6.0

Internet/BBS services: MECN (MA Educational Computer Network)

Other: Public library computer network NOBLE (North of

Boston Library Exchange)

Special Services:

Agency newsletter

MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY - ROTCH LIBRARY

Room 7-238, MIT

Contact Person:

Margaret dePopolo

77 Massachusetts Ave.

Rotch Librarian

Cambridge, MA 02139

Phone: (617) 258-5594

Email: depopolo@mit.edu

FAX: (617) 253-9331

Type of Affiliate:

SDC

Service Area:

Cambridge, Boston, MIT

Services Offered:

Reference

Special study area for MA census data including printed reports for earlier censuses:

Boston neighborhood data on discs supplied by the Boston Redevelopment Authority:

Free ArcView software from ESRI/ARL GIS project to facilitate mapping of census data:

Free

Information Resources:

1980 Census Geographic Identification Code Scheme

1987 Economic Censuses on CD-ROM

Factfinder for the Nation 1981 to date

20 Censuses: Population & Housing Questions 1790 - 1945

A Researcher's Guide to the 1980 Census

1980 PUMS

1980 Census. User's Guide. Parts A-C

A Guide to State & Local Census Geography 1993

Population Abstract of the U.S. 1983

State & Metropolitan Area Data Book 1986

1980 Census Update

World Population 1983

Guide to 1980 Census Data on the Elderly 1986

Directory of Federal Statistics for Local Areas

1980 Census. Indices of Industries & Occupations

American Housing Brief, Stastical Brief

Transportation Planner's Guide to Using 1980 Census

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: PC

Operating systems: Windows for PC

Communications: Procomm, Kermit for MIT net accounts (MIT net

connections for data transmission

Graphics software:

MapInfo, ArcWorld

GIS packages:

ArcView, LandView

CD-ROM:

Yes

Internet/BBS services:

net connections to MIT net (requires MIT account)

Other:

greyscale and color printer for GIS mapping products

MERRIMACK VALLEY PLANNING COMMISSION

160 Main St.

Contact Person:

Gaylord Burke

Haverhill MA 01830

Executive Director

Phone: (508) 374-0519 FAX: (508) 372-4890

Email: mvpc@aol.com

Type of Affiliate:

BIDC

Service Area:

Northeast Massachusetts

Services Offered:

Planning analyses:

Free

Information Resources:

Regional Economic Projections Regional Population Projections Traffic Data & Ridership Data

Road Condition Data Building Permits Water Quality Data Industrial Site Data Maps

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: PC
Operating systems: DOS

Communications: MultiTech/MultiModem II MT1432 Series Modem

Hayes 28800/Fax 144

Word processors: WordPerfect 2.0 for Windows, AmiPro 3.1 for Windows,

WordPerfect 5.1 for DOS

Spreadsheets: Lotus 1-2-3 for Windows Version 5
Database systems: Lotus Approach for Windows Release 3

Graphics software: Lotus Freelance 2.1

GIS Packages: MapInfo for Windows Version 3

CD-ROM: Yes

Internet/BBS services: America OnLine: Mass Municipal BB

Special Services:

Economic Model Simulations Traffic Model Simulations

GIS Maps

METROPOLITAN AREA PLANNING COUNCIL

60 Temple Pl., 6th floor Boston, MA 02111 **Contact Person:**

Douglas Carnahan

Manager

Phone: (617) 451-2770 ext. 25

FAX: (617) 482-7185

Type of Affiliate:

BIDC

Service Area:

Metro Boston area

Services Offered:

Community profiles: Free or Fee

Population projections: Free

Other information requests: Free or Fee

Prepare reports (from existing data) for municipalities: Free Customize reports (ie. projections): Fee

Census extracts: Free or Fee

Data search: Free

Information Resources:

Vacant Sites Database Files available on LAN

Listings of demographic & ecomomic data, prepared from '80 & '90 census

Building permits ('84 - present)
Population & household projections

School enrollment studies
Profiles of MAPC communites

Other data compiled from demographic & economic publications

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: IBM Unix workstations

Operating systems: Windows

Communications: Shiva Choser/Terminal/First Class

Word Processors: Word for Windows
Spreadsheets: Excel, Lotus, QuattroPro

Database systems: Access & Paradox Graphics software: Powerpoint, Canvas

GIS packages: ArcView II, ArcInfo, MapInfo

CD-ROM: Yes
Internet/BBS services: LocalNet

Other: Smartmoves software - census geog. profiles

Special Services:

School enrollment forecasts
done on a consulting basis

Provide access to LocalNet
Customized census extracts

Demographic profiles (1970 - 2005) Newsletter

MONTACHUSETT REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION

R1427 Water St.

Contact Person:

Laila Michaud

Fitchburg, MA 01420

Assistant Director

Phone: (508) 345-7376 FAX: (508) 345-9867

Type of Affiliate:

BIDC

Service Area:

Montachusett Regional Planning Commission Area (22 Communities)

Services Offered:

Respond to all requests for data (inc. photocopying):

Fee or Free

Meet with individuals/companies who require Census data and provide instruction on its' availability and how to use it.

Provide referral service

Information Resources:

MRPC brochure

Traffic Count Information

Roadway/Highway Inventory Files

Accident Statistics Inventory Files

ITE Manuals

MA Federation of Planning Boards Manuals/Land Use Laws & Regulations

EOCD/EPA Regulations/Requirements

Air Quality - MHD

MRPC Communities' Zoning/Subdivision Regulations/State Zonings

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: PC, MacIntosh

DOS 6.2, Windows for Workgroups 3.11 Operating systems:

Apple Share 4.0, MacIntosh System 7.1

CommWorks, 14.4 fax/modem, Shiva net modem Communications:

Microsoft Word, Microsoft Word 5.0 Word processors:

Spreadsheets: Excel, Excel 5.0

Database systems: Access, Foxbase Pro, Filemaker Pro., Bookkeeping on

Great Plains software

Print Shop Deluxe Graphics software:

GIS Packages: PC ArcInfo & ArcView

CD-ROM: Yes

Internet/BBS services: Compuserve, Mass Local Net

Pagemaker, HP Design Jet 650C Plotter; CalComp Other:

Digitizer: Microsoft Office: Windows Works

Special Services:

Generation of Statistical Reports based on Census information

NANTUCKET PLANNING & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

1 East Chestnut St. Contact Person: Andrew Vorce Nantucket, MA 02554 Director

Phone: (508) 228-7237 **FAX:** (508) 228-7236

Type of Affiliate: BIDC

Service Area: Nantucket

Information Resources:

Nantucket Basic Data Report
Nantucket Goals & Objectives
Nantucket Major Commercial Development
Nantucket Bicycle & Pedestrian Master Plan
Nantucket Economic Base Study Report
Nantucket Rules & Regulations Governing the Subdivision of Land

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: IBM

Operating systems: DOS, Windows, MUNIS Town Computer System

Word Processors: WP 5.1 & 6.0
Spreadsheets: Microsoft Excel
Database systems: DBase IV, Foxpro
Graphics software: Harvard Graphics 2.0

GIS Packages: Atlas - GIS

NORTH ADAMS STATE COLLEGE - FREEL LIBRARY

North Adams State College North Adams, MA 01247

Contact Person:

Lvnda Kaufmann Chief Librarian.

Public Services

Phone: (413) 662-5325

Email: lkaufmann@maple.nac.mass.edu

FAX: (413) 662-5286

Type of Affiliate:

SDC

Service Area:

Academic Community

Services Offered:

Census Bureau and Commercial Statistical Materials (incl. CD-ROM): Free

Information Resources:

Statistical Handbook on Women in America Statistical Handbook on the American Family

Economic Indicators Handbook

U.S. Industrial Outlook

American Salaries & Wage Survey

Historical Statistics of the U.S.

C.O.'s State Fact Finder

New England at a Glance

Massachusetts Municipal Profiles

Computer Environment:

Type of computers:

PC

Operating systems:

DOS

CD-ROM:

Yes

NORTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY - LIBRARY

360 Huntington Ave. Boston, MA 02115

Contact Person:

Roxanne Palmatier

Govt. Documents

Coordinator

Phone: (617) 373-4968

Email: rpalmatier@lynx.neu.edu

FAX: (617) 373-5409

Type of Affiliate:

SDC

Service Area:

Boston Metropolitan area

Services Offered:

Reference service: Free
Referral service: Free
Computer search services: Fee
Interlibrary loan: Free
Copying & downloading data: Fee

Information Resources:

Resources to assist in the identification and location of census materials

Historical census data

Census publication on CD-ROM

Access to other federal agency Census data CD-ROM products

State & local specialized publications

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: IBM compatible, MacIntosh Operating systems: DOS, Windows, System7

Word processors: WordPerfect, Xywrite III, Writenow, MS Word

Spreadsheets: Excel, Lotus
Database systems: FoxPro, RBase

Graphics software: Statgraphics, Superpaint

NORTHERN MIDDLESEX COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS

115 Thorndike St. Lowell, MA 01852 **Contact Person:**

Timothy Goddard Information Specialist

Phone: (508) 454-8021 **FAX:** (508) 454-8023

Type of Affiliate:

BIDC

Service Area:

Northern Middlesex Region

Services Offered:

Community profiles:
Regional Data Book:
Business/Economic development data:
Other various demographic information:

Fee Fee Free

Fee

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: PC
Operating systems: DOS

Word processors:

Spreadsheets:

Database systems:

GIS software:

CD-ROM:

WordPerfect

Lotus 1-2-3

Dbase

ArcInfo

Yes

NORTH SHORE COMMUNITY COLLEGE - LIBRARY

1 Ferncroft Rd. Danvers, MA 01923 **Contact Person:**

William Meunier Coordinator, Beverly

Campus Library

Phone: (508) 762-4000 ext. 5525

Email: meunier@clsn1231.noble.mass.edu

FAX: (508) 922-5165

Type of Affiliate:

SDC

Service Area:

Academic community

Services Offered:

Reference services:

Free

Information Resources:

Massachusetts municipal profiles

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: IBM compatible

Operating systems: MS DOS
Communications: First Choice
Word processors: WordPerfect 5.1

Spreadsheets: First Choice
Database systems: First Choice

CD-ROM: Yes

Internet/BBS services: Library has internet access

OFFICE OF PLANNING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

418 Main St. - Suite 400 Contact Person: Anthony Miloski

Worcester, MA 01608-1885 Senior Staff Assistant

Phone: (508) 799-1400 FAX: (508) 99-1406

Type of Affiliate: BIDC

Service Area: Worcester area

Services Offered:

Statistical information compiled, sent in response to inquiries: Free Answer data questions: Free

Assist walk-in clients with accessing and reproducing data: Free

Prepare customized reports for businesses, developers, non-profit

organizations and individuals:

Make available maps for reference and reproduction: Free or Fee

Create and reproduce charts and graphs:

Provide community and neighborhood profiles:

Free

Information Resources:

Publications from the U.S. Census Bureau and MISER

In-house reports and statistical profiles available for clients

Full range of maps and mapping resources

Almanacs

MA historic inventories

Flood plain maps/information & zoning

Environmental reports/studies

Business inventories

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: IBM & compatible, VAX workstations

Operating systems: DOS /I.B.M., VMS/VAX Communications: Comlit (internal use)

Word processors: Word 6.0 for windows, WordPerfect on VAX network

Spreadsheets: Excel 5.0, Lotus 1-2-3 on VAX Network

Database systems: Microsoft Access
Graphics software: Microsoft Power Point

GIS packages: ArcInfo on VAX workstation, ArcView 2.0, MapInfo

CD-ROM: Yes

Internet/BBS services: Internet access through Delphi (internal use) on-line

access to Mass Local Net (MMA) which also includes

a BBS

Special Services:

Customized reports prepared upon request

Customized computer mapping, charts and graphs available

OLD COLONY PLANNING COUNCIL

70 School St.

Brockton, MA 02401-4097

Contact Person:

James Watson

Supervisor, Comprehensive Planning

Phone: (508) 583-1833 FAX: (508) 559-8768

Type of Affiliate:

BIDC

Service Area:

Area surrounding Stoughton & Plymouth (15 communities in S.E.

Massachusetts)

Services Offered:

Preparation of Community Master Plans:

Fee or Free

Local economic development planning:

Fee or Free

Population projections for communities:

Traffic counting and analysis:

Corridor traffic studies:

General data provision:

Free

Table projections (drawing on census data):

Information Resources:

Community Information and Data Book

Annual Elder Needs Survey

Annual Overall Economic Development Program

Compilation of Traffic Volumes

Annual Transportation Improvement Program

Transportation plans containing traffic and employment projections

Computer Environment:

Type of computers:

IBM compatible

Operating systems:

Microsoft DOS

Communications:

FAX Modem

Word processors:

Multimate 4, Ami Pro 3.I and Word

Spreadsheets:

Lotus

Database systems:

Dbase III Plus, Dbase 5 for Windows

Graphics software:

Graphic in the Box

GIS packages:

MapInfo

Yes

CD-ROM:

Special Services:

Quarterly newsletter

PIONEER VALLEY PLANNING COMMISSION

26 Central St.

West Springfield, MA 01089

Contact Person:

George Danziger Senior Planner,

Regional Information

Specialist

Phone: (413) 781-6045 **FAX:** (413) 732-2593

Type of Affiliate:

BIDC

Service Area:

43 communities in the Pioneer Valley Region (Hampden & Hampshire

counties)

Services Offered:

Provide publications:

Fee

Information Resources:

Publications include information (regionally & on a city/town basis) on:

Transportation/Transit Authority Survey of employers

Population Housing issues

Education Traffic flow patterns/issues of various

Regional economy/development areas in the region

Soils & land uses Zoning

Space planning Market trends

Regional development Rural Development Series

Regional growth Criminal Justice resources & planning

Water supply & sewage disposal Regional information/growth

Hazardous waste Recycling issues

Regional Maps

Census & locally generated construction permits, traffic counts, GIS data layers

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: PC

Operating systems: DOS (Windows), MacIntosh, UNIX

Communications: ProComm
Word processors: MS Word
Spreadsheets: Excel
Database systems: Dbase IV

Graphics software: Aldus Freehand

GIS packages: PC Arc/Info, Arc/Info, ArcView

CD-ROM: Yes

Special Services:

Bi-monthly newsletter

SALEM STATE COLLEGE - LIBRARY

352 Lafayette St.

Contact Person:

Margaret Andrews

Salem, MA 01970 Library Associate

Phone: (508) 741-6476 Email: andrews@college.noble.mass.edu

FAX: (508) 744-6596

Type of Affiliate:

SDC

Service Area:

Salem State College Community

Services Offered:

Provide Census material (print, CD-ROM), including assistance:

Free

Information Resources:

REIS (Regional Economic Information System) 1969-1992 on CD-ROM CHAS (Comprehensive Housing Affordability Strategy) on CD-ROM TIGER data (1992) including census tract street index for New England Historical Census data (CPH, Economic, Manufacturing) Minority-Owned Business data (1982)

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: Gateway 2000, Power PC MacIntosh

CD-ROM: Yes

Internet/BBS services: Through Computing Services Department

SOUTHEASTERN REGIONAL PLANNING & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT (S.R.P.E.D.D)

88 Broadway Contact Person: Rachel Tedesco

Taunton, MA 02780 Data Center Manager

Phone: (508) 824-1367 Email: 74407.1110@compuservc.com

FAX: (508) 880-7869

Type of Affiliate: BIDC

Service Area: Southeastern MA

Services Offered:

Response to data requests:

Free or Fee

Response to data requests: Free or Fee Photocopying: Fee

Computer printouts (ie. from CD-ROM): Fee FAX: Fee

Data tabulation (limited): Free or Fee

Assistance with data access/interpretation: Free

G.I.S. mapping services: Fee

Information Resources:

Census maps ('80 & '90) & TIGER maps

STF1 and STF3 profiles (produced by MISER)

Bureau of Labor Statistics News (from Boston regional office)

MA Dept. of Employment & Training (monthly/annual) reports

Comprehensive Housing Affordability Strategy (CHAS) on CD-ROM Regional Economic Information System (REIS) '69 - '92 on CD-ROM

State databases (land use, water resources, acquifer areas) electronic and hard copy

Executive Office of Communities & Development (EOCD) community profiles

State Dept. of Education School District profiles

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: PC
Operating systems: DOS 6.2

Communications: Cardinal MODEM V.32/V.42 - Baud rate: 9600

Word processors: WordPerfect 6.0 for Windows

Spreadsheets: Word Processors. Word Processors. Word Processors. Ouattro Pro 4 for DOS

Database systems: DBase IV

Graphics software: Harvard Graphics, Ver 3.0 (DOS)
GIS packages: Transcad and GIS Plus (DOS)

CD-ROM: Yes

Internet/BBS services: Compusery customer

Other: LocalNet, NARCBBS (National Assoc. of Regional

Councils)

SPRINGFIELD CITY LIBRARY

220 State St.

Springfield, MA 01103

Contact Person:

Peter Anderegg

Documents Librarian

Phone: (413) 739-3871 **FAX:** (413) 734-3688

Type of Affiliate:

SDC

Service Area:

City of Springfield, 2nd Congressional District

Services Offered:

Reference desk support for all census related queries:

Free

Information Resources:

NTDB & NESE-DB made available on a LAN

Census data for U.S., New England states, N.Y. & N.J.

Computer Environment:

Type of computers:

PC

Operating systems:

DOS

Communications:

On-line: Bitcom, LAN, DECnet & Pathworks

Word processors:

Wordperfect 5.1

Spreadsheets:

Lotus 1-2-3

Database systems:

Dbase IV

CD-ROM:

Yes

STATE LIBRARY OF MASSACHUSETTS

341 State House

Contact Person:

Bette Siegel

Boston, MA 02133

Documents Librarian

Phone: (617) 727-2590

Email: bsiegel@cwmars.mass.edu

FAX: (617) 727-5819

Type of Affiliate:

SDC

Service Area:

Boston, especially State Government

Services Offered:

Provide access to all census products:

Free or Fee

(paper, fiche map or CD)

Information Resources:

Historical census data & publications

Misc. Census publications

Computer Environment:

Type of computers:

PC

Operating systems:

DOS Haves SMARTCOM3

Communications: Word processors:

Wordstar

word processors

Lotus

Spreadsheets:
Database systems:

Procite, Alpha4

CD-ROM:

Yes

Other:

BANYAN/WAN; will be on internet through CWMARS

Special Services:

National Cataloging database (OCLC) for all SDC documents

Bi-monthly newsletter

STATE TRANSPORTATION LIBRARY

10 Park Plaza Boston, MA 02116 **Contact Person:**

Lynn Matis

Director

Phone: (617) 973-8000 FAX: (617) 973-7153

Type of Affiliate:

SDC

Service Area:

Massachusetts

Services Offered:

Materials on transportation, engineering planning, design, & construction:

Free

Federal Aviation Administration Education Resource Center:

Free

Depository for publications of Federal Transit Administration &

Federal Highway Administration (for use in library):

Free

Documents of National & International Transportation Organizations (for use in library):

Free

Legal collection (for use in library):

Free

On-line searching:

Free or Fee

Inter-library Loan: CD-ROM searches:

Free Free

Information Resources:

Computer resources on-line (Dialog, DataTimes, & Westlaw)

CD-ROM materials inc. NTIS Database & Bureau of Transportation Statistics

Federal Transit Administration & Federal Highway Administration reports

Publications relating to transportation, engineering, planning, design & construction

Annual reports of state transportation agencies, inc. historical collection of transportation organizations

Computer Environment:

Type of computers:

IBM

Operating systems:

DOS

Communications:

Nelinet, Telnet, Westlaw

Word processors:

WordPerfect, WordPerfect for Windows

Spreadsheets:

Lotus 1-2-3

CD-ROM: Other:

Yes OCLC

Special Services:

Bi-monthly newsletter

TUFTS UNIVERSITY - ARTS AND SCIENCES LIBRARY

Tufts University Medford, MA 02155 Contact Person:

Pauline A Boucher Reference Librarian

Govt. Publications

Coordinator

Phone: (617) 628-5000 ext.2057

Email: pauline b@library.tufts.edu

FAX: (617) 627-3063

Type of Affiliate:

SDC

Service Area:

Tufts Community, 7th Congressional District, General Public

Services Offered:

Reference services: Free On-line reference searches (Tufts only): Fee CD-ROMs: Free Internet: Free FirstSearch (Tufts only): Free OCLC: Free Photocopying: Fee Interlibrary Loan Provider: Free

Information Resources:

Items distributed by U.S. Bureau of the Census Items distributed by MISER 39% Selective Federal Depository Arts & Sciences Library Collection

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: PC, MacIntosh, VAX

Operating systems: DOS & Windows 3.11, MacIntosh System 7, VMS for

VAX

Communications: ProComm, VersaTerm, NCSA Telnet, Reflection Word processors: WordPerfect for P.C., Word for MacIntosh Lotus 1-2-3 P.C., Excel for MacIntosh

Database systems: DRA for VAX, Dbase for P.C., FoxPro for P.C. &

MacIntosh, Filemaker for MacIntosh

Graphics software: SuperPaint for MacIntosh, PaintBrush for Windows

CD-ROM: Yes

Internet/BBS services: Internet via LYNX and WWW server, NetScape

Special Services:

Newletter

UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS/AMHERST - LIBRARY/GOVERNMENT **DOCUMENTS**

University of Massachusetts

Contact Person:

William Thompson

Amherst, MA 01003

Head of Documents

Phone: (413) 545-2765 FAX: (413) 545-6873

Email: william.thompson@library.umass.edu

Type of Affiliate:

SDC

Service Area:

Massachusetts

Services Offered:

Access to all published and most CD products of 1990 census and 1992 economic censuses

Information Resources:

Printed and electronic census products Published data from many Federal and State agencies Internet data sources

Computer Environment:

Type of computers:

IBM and compatibles

Operating systems:

DOS and Windows

Communications:

PCPLUS, Netscape, Hostpresenter

Word processors: GIS packages:

Word and WordPerfect

CD-ROM:

ArcView, LandView Yes

Internet/BBS services:

Yes

UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS/AMHERST - SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CENTER

205 School of Management University of Massachusetts

Contact Person:

Laura Howard

University of Massachusetts Amherst, MA 01003-4935 Director of Research and Special Projects

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FAX: (413) 545-1273

Type of Affiliate:

BIDC

Service Area:

Massachusetts

Services Offered:

Determine potential market using demographic analysis

Free

Trend analysis & competitive analysis for businesses

Develop training programs to assist local businesses with Census data:

Free Fee

Develop training programs (future) to make businesses aware of

other State Data Center affiliates & their services:

Fee

Information Resources:

Census Bureau on-line

Encyclopedia of Business Information Sources

Historical Statistical Abstracts

Encyclopedia of Associations (domestic & international)

U.S. Industrial Outlook

Ulrich's Plus (periodicals listing)

National Trade Data Bank

SBA Online

REIS (Regional Economic

Entrepreneur Start-up Guides

Information System 1992)

International Trade Data Network

Computer Environment:

Type of computers:

PC

Operating systems:

DOS, Windows PCPlus, Qmodem

Communications:

WP 5.1 & 6.0

Word Processors: Spreadsheets:

Lotus, Excel

Database systems:

Dbase

CD-ROM:

Yes

Internet/BBS services:

Internet, SBA, Census, EPA, others (no commercial)

Special Services:

Newsletter

Management counseling (eg. business plans, market research, financial analysis)

Capital formation services (unconventional sources of financing)

International trade - SBDC Director of Mass Export Center, counseling, training programs & research available to identify potential market opportunities for new to export companies.

Minority Business Assistance Center - for greater Boston area

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Type of Affiliate:

SDC

Service Area:

Massachusetts

Services Offered:

Reference:

Free

Classroom instruction:

Free

<u>Information Resources</u>: Census Bureau publications

Computer Environment:

Type of computers:

PC

CD-ROM:

Yes

UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS/BOSTON - MAURICIO GASTON INSTITUTE

University of Massachusetts 100 Morrissey Blvd.

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Diana Negron Project Manager

Boston, MA 02125

Phone: (617) 283-5790 **FAX:** (617) 283-5788

Type of Affiliate:

SDC

Service Area:

Massachusetts

Services Offered:

Profiles for 15 MA cities w/10% Latino population:

Free

Specific profiles of census tracts for non-profits or small businesses:

Free

Responses to academic inquiries regarding census data:

Free

Research & Public Policy analysis:

Make available historical & research collection through the Institute library:

Provide technical assistance:

Information Resources:

New Books:

Latino Poverty & Economic Development in Massachusetts

The Education of Latino Students in Massachusetts: Issues, Research and Policy

Implications

Research Reports (Demographic, Economic, & Education Series)

Special Publications:

Hispanic Journal of Behavioral Sciences

Latinos in Boston: Confronting Poverty, Building Community

Radical America

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: IBM

Operating systems: DOS for Windows Word processors: WordPerfect 6.0

Spreadsheets: Lotus, Excel

Database systems: Foxpro

GIS packages: Arcview, MapInfo

CD-ROM: Yes

Other: Pagemaker

Special Services:

Newsletter

UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS/DARTMOUTH LIBRARY GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS

285 Old Westport Rd.

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Phone: (508) 999-8740

Email: epereira@umass.edu

FAX: (508) 996-9759

Type of Affiliate:

SDC

Service Area:

New Bedford/Fall River

Services Offered:

Community lending: Free Reference services: Fee Photocopying: Fee

Project ASC (Information retrieval

and Business Research: Fee Internet access: Free

Information Resources:

University Library

Indexes and abstracts on CD-ROM

Selective U.S. Government Depository

Special collections

Maps (nautical, aeronautical, topographical)

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: PC

Operating systems: DOS, Windows

Communications: University's Academic Computing Services

Word processors:

Spreadsheets:
Database systems:

Graphics software:

CD-ROM: Yes

Internet/BBS services: Public Internet Workstation

UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS/LOWELL - LYDON LIBRARY

1 University Ave

Contact Person:

John Hill

Lowell, MA 01854

Reference Librarian

Phone: (508) 934-3213

Email: hill@libvax.uml.edu

FAX: (508) 934-3014

Type of Affiliate:

SDC

Service Area:

Merrimack Valley

Services Offered:

On-line searching: CD-ROM databases: Internet access:

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Computer Environment:

Type of computers:

VAX/PC

Operating systems:

VMS/DRA, DOS, Windows

Communications:

Ethernet, TCP/IP, Broadband DECNET

Word processors:

MASS 11, MS Word

Spreadsheets:

DECALC

CD-ROM:

Yes

Internet/BBS services:

Mosaic, Telnet, Gopher, Lynx

UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS/LOWELL - O'LEARY LIBARY

1 Üniversity Ave. Contact Person: Ronald Karr

Lowell, MA 01854 Reference Librarian

Phone: (508) 934-4554 Email: karr@libvax.uml.edu

FAX: (508) 934-3015

Type of Affiliate: SDC

Service Area: Greater Lowell

Services Offered:

Reference: Free
On-site use: Free
Printouts from CD-ROM: Free

Information Resources:

General reference books & indexes

Bibliographic databases

General Census publications, reports & CD-ROMs

Atlases

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: IBM compatible

Operating systems: DOS 6.2, Windows 3.1 Word processors: MS Word for staff only Spreadsheets: MS Excel for staff only

Database systems: DBase IV CD-ROM: Yes

Internet/BBS services: Staff access via mainframe only

WELLESLEY COLLEGE - MARGARET CLAPP LIBRARY

106 Central St. Contact Person: Claire T. Loranz

Wellesley, MA 02181 Documents Librarian

Phone: (617) 283-3724 Email: cloranz@wellesley.edu

FAX: (617) 283-3640

Type of Affiliate: SDC

Service Area: West Metropolitan Area

Services Offered:

Walk-in reference service: Free Telephone or email reference service: Free Consultation on projects: Free Loan of disks, manuals: Free Training in use of data products, software: Free Referrals: Free Access to information: Free Internet access to Wellesley's CWIS: Free

Interlibrary loan service/copying: Free or Fee

Information Resources:

Historical Census data including maps Census Bureau products on CD-ROM

Internet access to Census Bureau World Wide Web server and other census-related sites

(WWW, Gopher, FTP, Telnet, WAIS, email, etc.)

Extensive Library collection (strong in social sciences)

Boston Library Consortium and Nelinet, Inc.

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: IBM compatible, MacIntosh

Operating systems: DOS, Windows, System7, PowerMac

Communications: ProComm FTP, Email, Kermit

Word processors: WordPerfect, Word

Spreadsheets: Excel, Lotus

Database systems: Paradox, Dbase IV

Graphics software: Adobe Acrobat, Persuasion, WP Presentations,

PageMaker

GIS packages: Landview, Delorme Map Expert

CD-ROM: Yes

Internet/BBS services: full Internet services at fractional T-1 level includes

several public access (email/ftp requires Wellesley computer account or librarian intervention), BBS access available to patrons with Wellesley computer accounts - for others, librarian assistance is required.

WORCESTER PUBLIC LIBRARY

Salem Square

Worcester, MA 06108

Contact Person:

Cecile Gardner

Government Documents

Librarian

Phone: (508) 799-1655 FAX: (508) 799-1713

Type of Affiliate:

SDC

Service Area:

Central Massachusetts Region

Services Offered:

Fax to patron: Free or Fee

Photocopying: Fee
Inter-library Loan (I.L.L.): Free
Telephone reference: Free
Subject search via I.L.L.: Free
Reference service: Free

Internet searching

(Government Printing Office): Free Reserves: Fee

Information Resources:

Historical Census data

Bureau of Census CD-ROM's

U.S. Government Documents Collection

Computer Environment:

Type of computers: IBM compatible

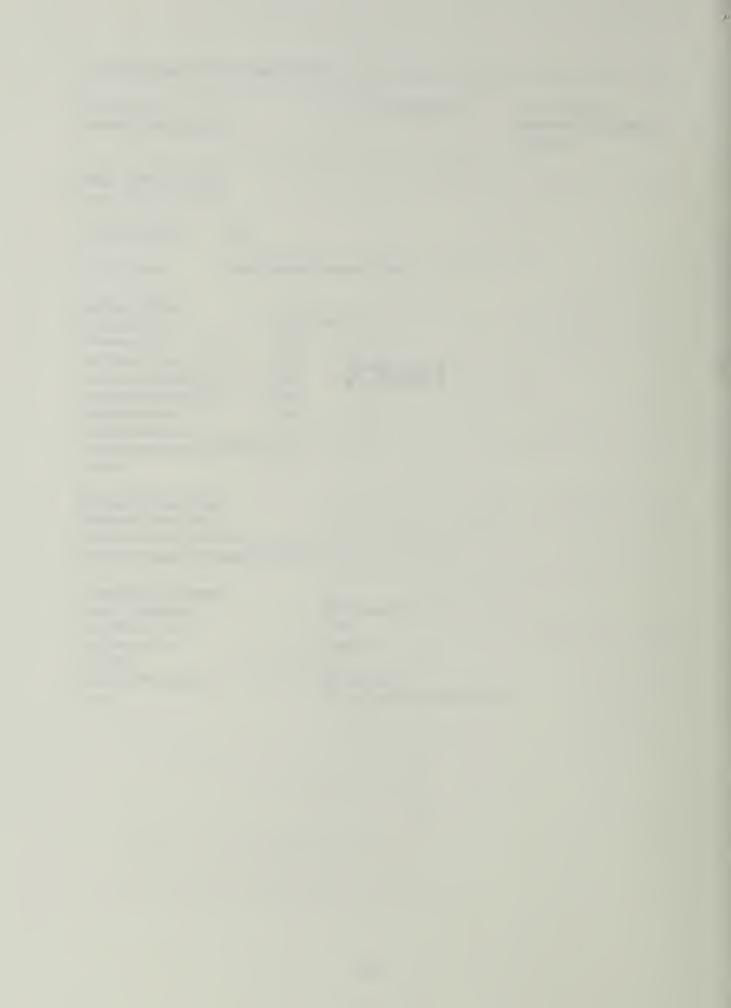
Operating systems:
Database systems:
CD-ROM:

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Internet/BBS services: via the World

Other: On-line catalog via CWMARS





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Berkshire County Regional Planning Commission	Paul Boudreau	413-442-1521	9
Boston College - O'Neill Library/Government Documents	Barbara Mento	617-552-3354	10
Boston Public Library - Government Documents	Gail Fithian	617-536-5400 ext. 226	11
Boston Redevelopment Authority - Research Dept.	Greg Perkins	617-722-4300ext.4411	12
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Department of Public Health - Bureau of Health Statistics	Christine Payne	617-727-2735	19
Economic Development and Industrial Corporation of Boston	Jocelina Benzmiller	617-635-4700ext.181	20
Executive Office of Communities and Development	Fred Habib	617-727-7147 ext.407	21
Franklin County Commission	Jessica Atwood	413-774-1194	22
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North Adams State College - Freel Library	Lynda Kaufmann	413-662-5325	33
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Southeastern Regional Planning and Economic Development District	Rachel Tedesco	508-824-1367	41
Springfield City Library	Peter Anderegg	413-739-3871	42
State Library of Massachusetts	Bette L. Siegel	617-727-2590	43
State Transportation Library	Lynn Matis	617-973-8000	44
Tufts University - Arts and Sciences Library	Pauline A. Boucher	617-628-5000ext. 2057	45
University of MA/Amherst - Library/Government Documents	William Thompson	413-545-2765	46
University of MA/Amherst- Small Business Development Center	Laura Howard	413-545-6307	47

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Wellesley College - Margaret Clapp Library



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Amherst	University of MA/Amherst- Small Business Development Center	413-545-6307	48
Babson Park	Babson College - Horn Library	617-239-5486	7
Barnstable	Cape Cod Commission	508-362-3828	15
Boston	Boston Public Library - Government Documents	617-536-5400 ext. 226	11
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Bridgewater	Bridgewater State College - Clement C. Maxwell Library	508-697-1740	14
Brockton	Old Colony Planning Council	508-583-1833	38
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Cambridge	MA Institute of Technology - Rotch Library	617-258-5594	28
Chestnut Hill	Boston College - O'Neill Library/GovernmentDocuments	617-552-3354	10
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Fitchburg	Montachusett Planning Commission	508-345-7376	31
Greenfield	Franklin County Commission	413-774-1194	22
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Haverhill	Merrimack Valley Planning Commission	508-374-0519	29
Lowell	Northern Middlesex Council of Governments	508-454-8021	35
Lowell	University of MA/Lowell - Lydon Library	508-934-3213	51
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Pittsfield	Berkshire Community College - Library	413-499-4660	8
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Salem	Salem State College - Library	508-741-6476	40
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Springfield	Springfield City Library	413-739-3871	42
Taunton	Southeastern Regional Planning and Economic Development District	508-824-1367	41
Waltham	Brandeis University -Library	617-736-4673	13
Wellesley	Wellesley College - Margaret Clapp Library/Documents	617-283-3724	53
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